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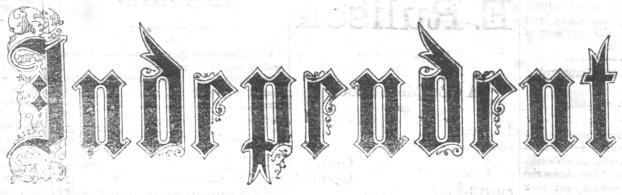
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And our triumph will be great;

Let it pass!

THE CHAINED HOST.

The potato famine in Ireland was no eft his dinner to them, of which he had

story is told as a true tale: contrived to pass two years of her sor-ment the man thought of nothing but rowful widowhood. Bad and scanty the fearful danger in which the children the month advanced, and ended in snow food, obtained only by her labor, too were, and walking quickly toward them and ice, with a temperature more like great for her delicate frame, had at last he exclaimed: "Don't you see the dog, thrown her upon her sick bed, and he will tear you to pieces ?"

All the neighbors, with the utmost de- drive my guests away!" sire to help, were too-famine stricken, At that sight a great change came and heard their own children too often over the man; the spectacle before him cry in vain for bread, to assist others. aced like an electric shock, and feelings

burn," a village some miles distant, said str within him. one of the neighbors, after the poor possibly refuse to take care of them." "But matters are as bad there as here," replied another, "and I fear they

will be no better off there." "It cannot possibly be worse than here, for nothing but starvation stares them in the face. If we send them to like." their relations we have done our duty. We cannot possibly keep them there." So a carrier, who was going near to to the servant:

Kilburn, as an act of charity, took the Biddy, get some hot bread and milk, close together, and the carrier hardly looked at them. Towards noon they reached the spot where the cart would turn off. The man lifted them out, showed them the road to the left, and bade them go straight forward, and if they did not turn from the high road they would in about two hours come to the place. He then drove off. The children sobbed out "good-bye," and

looked after him as long as they could see the least speck of the cart, and then they both began to cry. Lizzie ceased her crying first; she took hold of her little sister's hand, who had seated herself on the grass, and said, er take care of you. But tell me now

"Get up, Mary! we must not stay here, where do you come from?" if we wish to get to Kilburn. We can not stop here on the road." "I am so hungry," sobbed Mary, "we have had nothing to eat all day." And

again they both began to cry, for Lizzie was equally hungry. The children were very weak, and could only drag themselves slowly along. Hand in hand they tottered on. At last pointed towards the spot. But it took fore than a quarter of an hour before they reached the farm house, for such it proved to be. With hesitating steps they entered the yard, for they had never begged before in spite of their former scolding one of his men. Then he went that the man did not hurt her sister. At into the house, fiercely closed the door last becoming more composed, he dried after him so as to make the windows rattle, and continuing his abuse all the time.

The children terrified, stood still at the door until the voice ceased. Then Lizzie opened the door and both children entered. The farmer sat in an arm-chair. "Well, what do you want?" he hashly asked the children, who were too frightened to utter a word, and to tell their

errand. "Can't you speak," he asked Lizzie at last took courage, and said gently, "Oh, if you would be so good as not care for his relations." to give us the least little bite to eat-a small piece of bread or a few potatoes. "I thought so," shouted the farmer, "I was sure you was nothing but beggars, although you do not seem to belong to this neighborhood. We have plenty those here, and do not want them to

You will get nothing here. Be off, this The children, both dreadfully fright ened, began to cry bitterly. "That will not do you any good," con-

come from other parts. We have not

bread for ourselves in these hard times,

tinued the man, "that kind of whining is nothing new to me, and won't move me. Let your parents feed you, but they prefer idling rather than getting their living by honest labor, no doubt." "Our parents are both dead-" "I thought so," replied the farmer.
"Whenever children are sent out to beg,

their father and mother are always dead, or at least their father. This is a mere excuse for begging. Be off!" "We have not eaten a morsel the whole day," pleaded Lizzie. "We are so tired that we cannot move a step. If you would but give us the least little bit to

eat, we are so hungry."

gars get nothing here."

look. Lizzie quickly opened the door who is the Father of the Fatherless and drew her sister with her. The children again stood in the farm yard, but A Year without a Summer. knew not what to do. Suddenly little Mary drew her hand from her sister's clasp, and went to the other side of the yard; there was a fierce dog chained; is dinner stood before him in a wooden asin. Mary put her hand into the asin and began to eat with the dog. dred and starved to death." A contriizzie went nearer and saw that in the butor give the following information:

sin there was some liquor in which a w pieces of bread and some potatoes sist; she had but one feeling that of readers some reliable facts of the year me of the bread and potatoes, and ate mer." Few persons now living can re-

poked at the children full of astonish-

where felt more severely than in that aten but little. At this moment the part of the country where the following armer stepped into the yard, he wished o see whether the children had really In a small village in one of the most eft, and then he saw this singular scene. barren districts of the west of Ireland The dog was noted for fierceness, and there lived a very poor widow whose feared alike by old and young, and was inheritance from her husband were obliged to be chained. No one dare come the first part of it; the remainder was but finding that he could not do justice two healthy children, girls of the re-near him except his master. Even the mild. A great freshet on the Ohio and to both offices, he resigned the position spective ages of three and five. Pain-servant put his food before him in the Kentucky rivers caused great loss of of Chief Justice and took his seat in more quickly, with the hand and fully and by the utmost effort she had most cautious manner. In the first mo-

leath, in pity, removed her in a few But suddenly he stopped, as if rooted days, and without great suffering, from to the ground, the dog had got up again frozen, ice formed half an inch thick, corn her earthly troubles. The poverty of and gone near the children, then he lookthe whole parish was so great that noth- ed at his master and wagged his tail. It again planted until deemed too late. ing could be done for the poor orphans, seemed as if he wished to say: "Do not

armer asked:

"Are you really so fearfully hungry

Mary was five in his cart with min.

The timid children kept very quiet, and the brute had shamed the man. Touched by what he had seen, the farmer was thick. Indian corn was so frozen that anxious to make amends for what his the greater part was cut down and dried pointed as Secretary of Foreign affairs. conscience showed him a great sin. He for fodder. Almost every green thing seated the children at the table, sat was destroyed both in this country and the United States and while holding stant throw the person on the floor. down by them, and kindly asked their Europe. Papers received from England office made several important decisions,

> and my sister is called Mary." "Have your parents been dead long "Our father has been dead two years, at our mother only died last week.' At the thought of their recent loss toth children began to weep.
> "Don't cry, children," said the farmer

"My name is Lizzie," said the eldest,

kindly. "God will in one way or anoth-"From Loughrea," replied the child. "From Loughrea?" asked the man,

"from Loughrea? That is strange." He began to suspect the truth and asked hesitatingly. "What was your father's name?" "Martin Sullivan," replied Lizzie. "What-Martin-Sullivan?" he ex-

claimed, jumping up at the same time. Lizzie fancied she saw a house, and and casting a piercing look at the children thoroughly frightening them. His face grew red—then tears came into his eyes-at last he sobbed aloud. He took the youngest child in his arms, pressed her to his heart and kissed her. The child struggled and called to her misery. But at this moment they could sister for help; she could not think what think of nothing else but their terrible the man meant. Then he put down the hunger. When a few steps from the little one, and did the same to Lizzie, house they heard the farmer violently who took it more quietly, as she had seen

> his tears and said: "Do you know my name, children?" "No," replied Lizzie. "How happened it, then, that you have

come to me?" he asked. Has any one sent you to me?" "Nobody has sent us," replied Lizzie We are to go to Kilburn, where a broth er of our father lives, and they said he would gladly receive us. But I do not believe it, for our mother always said that he is a hard-hearted man, who does

"Your mother was quite right when she said so," said the farmer. But what will you do if this hard-hearted man does not receive you?"

"Then we shall have to starve," an wered Lizzie," "No. no! exclaimed the man quickly It shall never come to that never! Dry your tears. The merciful God has had

bity on your helplessness, and has made

use of a fierce brute to soften the heart

of your uncle, and thereforehe will never

orsake you-never." The children looked at the man in utter bewilderment; they did not understand what he said-his words and his behavior were alike strange to them. This he soon perceived, for he added, You are going to Kilburn to Patrick Sullivan; you are already there! I am your mele, and now that I know you are the children of my brother Martin I

make you welcome."

The children's tears quickly changed into smiles, and the meal which Biddy just then put on the table for them made them forget their grief. Pat Sullivan had taken this farm about a year before. A kind providence had directed the children's steps to him; but if the dog and they "I have told you I would not. Beg- had not taught him a lesson of kindness, The farmer got up with a threatening become of the poor orphans. But He killed them."

would surely not have forsaken them.

Almost every one has heard tell of the terrible dark year in the earlier part of the present century, which old New England farmers refer to as "eighteen hun-

While every one is speaking of the present season as being remarkable in its re floating. She likewise could not characteristics, I have gathered for your e most gnawing hunger,-she took 1816, known as the "year without a sum- in Philadelphia in 1774, was appointed collect it : but it was the coldest ever with an envoy from France relative to The dog, not accustomed to such guests known throughout Europe and America. arms, amunition &c., for the continental The following is a brief abstract of the

aent, he drew back, then sat down and weather during the year: January was mild, so much so as to In 1775 the affairs of the United Colorender fires almost needless in parlors. December previous was very cold.

March was cold and boisterous during same time was a member of the Council;

April began warm, but grew colder as winter than spring.

May was more remarkable for frowns

June was the coldest ever known in this latitude. Frost, ice and snow were rial aid to our infant republic in the common. Almost every green thing Revolutionary war, but her aid was was killed. Fruit was nearly all destroyed. Snow fell to the depth of ten and she hoped that through the Colonies "If the children could be got to Kil- such as he never had before seemed to inches in Vermont, seven in Maine and she might be able to get back her possesthree in central New York and Massa- sions in America which England had The children had risen, terrified at the chusetts. Considerable damage was done taken from her. Jay saw this state of

only passable in boats.

parts of Pennsylvania. Indian corn powers, what his countrymen had been And then taking them by the hand was nearly all destroyed; some favorastruggling to obtain for the last quarter ter. In fact, it is generally best not to he led them into the house, calling out bly situated fields escaped. This was of a century, and the United States of say a word, but to seize a blanket from passed. Ice was formed half an inch States to resume the practice of law, but bonny to the corners as far apart as you can, stretch stated that it would be remembered by one of which gave a private individual the present generation that the year 1816 the right to sue a state. Jay was sent flame can be put out more leisurely.

> mer. Very little corn ripened in New England, and the Middle States. Farmers supplied themselves from the corn produced in 1815 for the seeds of the absent on this mission he was elected spirng of 1817. It sold at from \$4 to Governor of New York and at the close 55 per bushel. September furnished about two weeks of mildest weather of the season. Soon

and frosty, and ice formed a quarter of in retirement he was stricken down with an inch thick.

October produced more than its share of cold weather; frost and ice particu-November was cold and blustering. Enough snow fell to make good sleigh-

December was quite mild and comfort-The above is a brief summary of "the cold summer of 1816," as it was called in order to distinguish it from the cold season. The winter was mild. Frost and ice were common in every month of kept bright in the annals of American the year. Very little vegetation matured | History. in the Eastern and Middle States. The sun's rays seemed to be destitute of heat through the summer; all nature seemed

ket was thirteen dollars per barrel. The average price of wheat in England was ninety-seven shillings per quarter.--Farmers' Cabinet. The statistical accounts compiled from the last census give the following: The total population of the country is

no little anxiety concerning this life.

census year, 492,263, or about 1,349 per March seems to be the most fatal nonth, leading all others by about 1,000. March, April and May form the most fatal quarter, exceeding any other three consecutive months by over 13,000. The births number 1,100,476, or about

3,000 per diem.

about 7,000.

The idiotic, about 24,000. The insane, about 37,000, nearly one third of whom are of foreign birth. Persons over 80 years of age number about 150,000. Persons over 90 years of age number

The blind number about 20,000.

The deaf and dumb, about 16,000.

about 3,500. Of those over 80 years, the females out-number the males by about 12,000. Of those over 90 years, the females are in excess by about 1,200. Of those over 100 years, the females exceed the males by about 1,000.

"India, my boy," said an Irish officer to a friend, on his arrival at Calcutta, "is the finest climate under the walk, the moon keeps up with us every sun; but a lot of young fellows come out step of the way; it don't move at all, here and they eat, and they drink and yet it is always going along with and they die; and then they us." So it is with the dear God in heav-write home to their parents a pack of en; though He seems far away, He is

# YOUTHS' COLUMN.

John Jay.

John Jay was born on the 12th of

December, 1745. He graduated from Columbia College with the highest honors in 1764, and two years afterwards was admitted to the bar of the state of New York. He began public life as secretary of the commissioners appointed to determine the boundary line between New York and New Jersey. He was a representative from New York to the Continental Congress which assembled with Franklin and Jefferson to confer forces, and was also authorized to negoly, I wonder what time one would have tiate in secret with other foreign powers. to do their work, to spend so much in protecting and caring for their hands. 'A. nies looked distressing and gloomy, and therefore aid was sought abroad. Under February was not very cold; with the the New Constitution of New York, exception of a few days it was mild, like framed in 1776, Mr. Jay held the office of Chief Justice of the state and at the Congress. Mr. Jay was chosen Presi- wrist protected, having a finger and thumb dent of Congress and held this office at liberty, for then I do not have to use about a year, when he was sent to Spain so much care, as to where the hand goes, as Minister Plenipotentiary, and was al- and can thus save my time—and scratch so empowered to negotiate with France and England. But with all his skillful than smiles. Buds and flowers were management and diplomacy he was unsuccessful with his negotiations with was killed and the fields were again and Spain. He then turned his attention to France and from thence toward England. France must be remembered as a mate- tage than one so stiff and rough that it merely to venther spite toward England, mother had been buried, "a brother of cal of the man, fearful of punishment at New Orleans in consequence of the affairs and consequently refused to treat their father lives there, and he could not for having eaten, with downcast eyes: rapid rise in the river; the suburbs were with England, France or Spain, unless At last after several minute's silence, the covered with water and the roads were they would acknowledge the United States as an independent government July was accompanied by frost and and on an equal footing with themselves. that you do not even despise the dog's ice. On the 5th ice was formed of the In 1783, after months of toil, Mr. Jay food? Come in, then, you shall have thickness of common window glass through secured to the United States a place of something to eat, and as much as you out New England, New York, and some respect and equality with the European

> was a year in which there was no sum- to England in 1794 to adjust some diffiwas successful and obtained a perfect peace which lasted several years. While of his term was re-elected. Although a seemed biased. This was the last public Soon after the middle it became cold and office he held; after living a few years palsy and died in May, 1829. During his life he held the most important positions that the American people could bestow upon any one. His unsuccessful negotiations with Spain and his treaty England made for him many enemies in the South, but in reality he did more for the southern people than their own man, Monroe. Jay was a leader of the federal party in opposition to the Democratic party under the leadership of Thomas Vefferson. Mr. Jay was a sincere Christ ian and true patriot. His name will be

America was acknowledged free and in-

Fun with the Alphabet.

clad in a sable hue, and men exhibited "There is one word of only five letters, and if you take away two of them ten The average wholesale price of flour during that year in the Philadelphia marwill remain. What word is that ? It is often. If you take away o f, ten will remain. There is a word of five letters, and if you take away two of them six will remain. What is it i sixty. Take away ty, six will remain. Here is a puzzle: Take away my first letter, take way my second letter, take away all my letters, and I am always the same. Can you guess that ? You are right; it is the bout thirty-eight and a quarter millions. mail carrier. There is a word which, if Total number of deaths in the current you change the place of one of its letters means exactly the opposite from what it did at first. What is the word? It is over with the oil of the fowl, a small bit united. Place the i after the t, and it becomes untied. Can you tell me what pose. Split the fowl down the back letter it is that has never been used but bone, roll it to break down the breast twice in America? It is a. A is only bone, dust it slightly with salt and used twice in America. Can you tell me pepper, place it on the gridiron before it when there were only two vowels? It is hot, merely warm enough to melt the was in the days of Noah, before you and oil in greasing. Put the chicken on I were born—in the days of no a, before the gridiron breast down, and let it broil u and i were born. Can you tell me when the blacksmith raises a row in the with a shallow pan, and put a weight on alphabet ? It is when he makes a poker the top to press the fowl to the bars; as and shove I (a poker and shovel.) Perhaps you can tell me why an hare is easier to catch than an heiress? It is because the heiress has an i and the hare water. Turn the juice, if there is any has none. What is the word of one syl-Persons over 100 years of age number able which, if you take two letters from it, will become a word of two sylables ? You must try and guess that, for it is my last puzzle. It is plague, take p l, done. It takes full half an hour to broil and it becomes ague."

> nomeward one moonlight evening. overheard one of them say, "Sister Annie it don't make any difference how fast we

Two little girls were walking

### a rough day's work will help greatly in keeping them soft, or if this is not at hand they can be washed with a little corn

meal mixed with vinegar. Of another sensible device the writer says: And gloves, too, come in play about work, if at any time. A pair of old ones, even if worn at the fingers, save the hands very much in doing such work as not a few housekeepers do-gathering berries, fruits and vegetables from the garden or field; work which will scratch, stain, toughen the unprotected hand, while the glove does not hinder us in our work, in the least. And either gloves or mittens for sweeping, especially where a thorough clearing up of the house is undertaken, and the broom for any length of time used, saves them being so much hardened while in cold weather we secure comfort as well. A pair or two of loose mittens made of thin or half worn flannel to put on handling wood, pumping water, hanging out, or taking in clothes, and a thous and other things we are often required to do, seems to us almost indispensable. "But, dear me!" exclaims some driving, business woman, "as if taking care of the hands was worth all this fuss! Real-

AT HOME.

The Hands.

There is no virtue, if no disgrace, in coarse hands. And a writer in the House-

hold thinks that many women allow their

hands to become needlessly hard and cal-

loused. They handle kettles, flatirons

and plates when too hot, and parboil their

hands in washing dishes or clothes with water that is no better for that purpose if it were a little cooler. A drop of glycerine rubbed on the hands at night after

gloved cat catches no mice,' is an old proverb that will come in here." Not so fast, my good woman. We do not pretend you can do all your work equally well with gloves on, but if you can do some kinds, why is there any harm in adopting them? I can pick berries or gather vegetables, not only as well, but es, prickles, and stains, which may come to the bare hand. And it takes less time to catch up a holder when about the stove than to nurse a burned hand while a soft, smooth hand can certainly sew, write letters, &c., to better advanis clumsy, it spite of its being accus-

### tomed to work.

Clothes on Fire. The frequent terrible deaths from clothes taking fire should lead all persons to remember the following method

of extinguishing such fires, as given by the Scientific American: "Three persons out of four would rush right up to the burning individual and begin to paw with their hands without any definite aim. It is useless to tell the victim to do this or that, or call for wathe bed or any woolen fabric-if none is dependent by all the principal govern- at hand take any woolen material-hold was prevented in so doing by being ap- clasping in the arms mostly about the shoulders. This instantly smothers the In 1789 he was chosen Chief Justice of fire and saves the face. The next in-This is an additional safety to the face and breath, and any remnant of the The next instant immerse the burnt part culties which had arisen with her, he in cold water, and all pain will cease with the rapidity of lightning. Next get some common flour, remove the water, and cover the burnt parts with an inch of thickness of flour; if possible put the patient to bed, and do all that is pos-

## principle of its action is, that, like wafrom the injured parts."

other application is needed. The dry flour for burns is the most admirable

remedy ever proposed, and the informa-

tion ought to be imparted to all. The

RECEIPTS. BUTTER SPONGE-CAKE.—Sixteen eggs.

of scalding poultry before picking has very properly been vetoed by market dealers. Fowls may be plucked with equal facility and with better effect in preserving the flesh immediately after death, and before they have had time to cool. The action of the market men is to be commended, and those sending dressed poultry to market will do well to act in accordance with it. To Broil A Fowl .- The fire should

of which should be reserved for the purvery slow. Cover the gridiron entirely soon as it has browned a little take it up, dip the side broiled, in butter, pepper and salt melted, but not oiled, over hot standing on the fowl, into the gravy. turn the chicken over, broil slowly until nearly done, then turn it; dip on to it a little of the gravy, and broil gently until a chicken well; if hurried it will be worthless, either half done or burned bitter. When done, dip it in the gravy both sides; add two tablespoons of boiling water to the dish, mix it with the butter, and serve hot with mashed potatoes and cold slaw. If you can broil

six large potatoes mashed, one egg, one

POTATO MUFFINS .- One pint of milk.

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party man, Mr. Jay while in office never sible to soothe until the physician arrives. Let the flour remain until it falls off itself, when a beautiful new skin can be found. Unless the burns are deep no

### ter, it causes instant and perfect relief from pain by totally excluding all the air

the weight of fourteen in sugar, ten in flour, half a pound of butter, melted, but not put in hot, poured in just before the cake is put in the oven; season with lemon. Bake in shallow pans, and cut in DRY-PICKING POULTRY.—The practice

be clear but not scorching, the gridiron

who knows what might after all have become of the poor orphans. But He killed them."

one fowl well, you can broil all birds,

whether domestic or wild.

Newspaper Decisions.

1. Any person who takes a paper regularly from the Post Office—whether directed in his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not—is responsible for the pay.

2. If a person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether the paper is taken from the office or not.

aken from the office or not.
3. The courts have decided that refusing to ake newspapers from the Post Office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facie

### News of the Week.

The Philadelphia mint is engaged in melting vast quantities of light gold coin; \$23,000,000 have been remelted and \$10,000,000 will be recoined imme-

The operation of towing canal boats nal at Black Rock, on Friday. The ex-

the police of Brooklyn that she murder-

The receipts for customs for the fiscal year ending June 30, are \$190,000,000, which is \$1,500,000 below the estimates gold in May and June.

have been taken on the L. A. Starr for Portland, Maine. Captain Phillips, his officers and crew remain with the ship. There is a diversity of opinion among the ngers in regard to the navigation of the ship. Many of them speaking in the highest terms of the conduct of the cap-

Large quantities of goods are reported to have been carried out to sea from the

The Shah being afraid of the cholera will not visit the Vienna Exposition. He is much pleased with Paris. The Persian minister of foreign affairs is in disgrace and will probably be dismissed and executed immediately on his return to Persia. Difficulties have arisen in regard to the concesssions to Raron Reuter by the Shah, and it is thought he will lose \$1,-500,000. A part of this, \$1,000,000, is a loan to the Shah. English capitalists have bid higher for the privileges grant-

ating the unoccupied department of rance on July 3. All German troops vill be withdrawn by Aug. 15. Baron Reuter denies the story regard

ng his Persian enterprise. During a bull-fight in Malaga, Previous to the occupation of the city

of Khiva, the Khan entered the camp of General Kauffman and took the oath of est rates a vassal of Russia. General Kauffman restored him to the throne and appointet a council to assist him in governing the Khanate. The Khan has issued a proclamation abolishing slaves, and Gen-eral Kauffman has notified the authorities at Tehernn to prepare for the reception of ten thousand liberated Persian

The long talked of arrangement by which the English Government was to Le connected with that of Russia has at hast been definitely settled. Prince Alford Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, Duke of Saxony, Count of Ulster and Kent, and captain in the Royal Marines, is to be married to Marie Alexandrovitch the Grand Duchess and chief of the Regiment of Lancers. Prince Alfred Ernes Albert was born on the 6th of August, 1844, and therefore is now in his twenty ninth year. Marie Alexandrovitch was born on the 5th of October, 1853, and consequently is now about twenty years

of age.

The National Educational Association
The National Educational Association tinue in session three days. The presidents of many of the leading universities and colleges are announced as speakers. The State Superintendent of Schools, Florida, (colored,) will read a paper on education in the Southern States.

The Goodrich inquest was resumed on Saturday, and Lizzie Lloyd Ling, alias Kate Stoddard, was identified as the woman who had been intimate with Goodrich. Testimony being elicited on the inquest that Goodrich was seen on Thursday evening by two witnesses, on the morning of which day the murderess says she killed Goodrich, she referred the police to a locket in which she had engraved the day and date of the murder, Thursday, March 21, 1873, saying, "I had that put on there a few days af-eer I shot him." In this locket was found some dried blood which the murderess said was that of Goodrich, which Kate Stoddard called a mineral, and small portion falling out when the locket was opened she picked it up, put it in her mouth and swallowed it. The coroner's jury found a verdict that Goodrich came to his death at the hands of Lizzie Lloyd King, alias Kate Stoddard.

The parricide Walworth is a clerk in the shoe department at Sing Sing. He is to work in the private office of the Doors, Sash, Blinds, Win-

clerk of the department.

The steamer Tigress sailed on the 14th on her voyage in search of the Polaris. The supporters of Don Carlos are gaining ground with such rapidity in Spain and their numbers are so steadily on the

increase, that there is a universal cry from all the republican commanders in the North for reinforcements in order to hold their ground. The government scientists intend to

apply to Congress for more money to provide means to observe the transit of Venus in 1874, having the authority of dispatch. Also Professor Henry for the statement that the provision already made is inadequate to the scientific importance of the subject, and inferior to the arrangements of the

enlightened governments of Europe. The Congress of Peru has recently passed a law for the encouragement of emmigration to that country and the Peruvian Administration will soon take the necessary steps for carrying it into N. D. HART,

A bill of \$1,800, for medical attend nce for George Francis Train, has been presented to the Board of Supervisors of he county of New York.

Lands Unimproved and Improved.

BY PROF. J. D. BUTLER.

A lady having two lovers, accepted the one who was poor but smart, rather than the other who was rich but an imbecile When asked the reason of her choice she said: "A man who is poor may get over it; but if one is a natural-born fool he never can get over it."

She is a good model for a farmer. Let him prefer a Nebraska farm, for its cathan improved but infertile land further Nebraska land has no defects which it cannot soon get over. But this is more than can be said of the sterile regions, where the characteristics are stump reap only a peck. No making a silk

ourse out of a sow's ear. Better a fortune in than with a man periment is said to have been satisfac- or farm. The one must grow, the other

On Thursday, Kate Stoddard was ar- | So think 5,000 farm hunters who rested for the murder of Charles Good- have bought railroad land of the Burling rich, at his residence in Degraw street ton and Missouri River Railroad. Many Brooklyn. The watch, rings, seals and of them have little or no capital,—but money of Goodrich, and the pistol with which the murder was committed were found in her rooms. She confessed to principal in seven installments.

### MARRIED:

In Oswego, Thursday evening, July 10th, at the Congregational parsonage, by Rev. S. S. N. Sreeley, Mr. William Kirkpatrick to Miss Ma-ia Metcalf, all of Oswego. At the residence of the bride's father, in Pu-aski, June 25th, 1873, by Rev. J. Douglas, Mr. jamuel Crippen, of Utica, and Mrs. Mary. G. Place, of Pulaski, eldest daughter of W. H.

In Palermo, July 6, Mrs. Lucy McQueen, wife Sanford McQueen, aged 59 years. In Granby, on the 28th ult., Frank H. Black-In Oswego Falls, on the 2d inst., Mrs. Nancy

In Fulton, on the 2d inst., Florence Madora, laughter of Lewis and Maria Bergiven, aged 2 years, 10 months and 2 days. In Albion, June 30th, of dropsy, Daniel G.

In Oswego, July 14th, 1873, James F. son of John and Hanna Clark, aged 1 year, 1 month Oswego, July 13th, 1873, of croup, John Thomas, oldest son of Patrick and Ann Corco-ran, aged 4 years, 11 months and 13 days. At his residence in North Scriba, on the morning of June 13th, Deacon Richard Hallock, aged

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community that it be well sustained, and | from New York to this city. The donit is for the interest of our youth to at- ors of the above estate were the Messrs. tend it because it is a good school. Remember August 26th.

### An Appeal.

ED. MEXICO INDEPENDENT :- Pleas allow space for an appeal to a generous public in behalf of the unfortunate. There are many of the poor and insane in our county buildings who could and would amuse themselves with reading if they had books and periodicals, and among the families of our county there is spare reading matter that might supply them. If people having old books, papers and magazines will contribute them, they will be distributed by the keepers for the and comfort of the inmates. Also pictures that have been laid aside would be We can say this without disparaging in Persons sending any of the above-named articles will please address the keepers of the Oswego County Poor Buildings, in care of H. C. Peck, Mexico, N. Y.

aof those always with us, but whom we are apt to forget.—ED.

edictory, says: "A man who can preserve the serenity of his temper, the sweetness of a Christian disposition, and an unflag-HENRY KELSEY,—of New Haven, had ging perseverance amid all the obstacles forty-five dollars taken from under his nd difficulties which newspaper publicapillow last Friday night. His watch tion presents, deserves to be ranked with was transferred from a drawer to a table, and there were evidences that the entire Job for patience, Baxter for goodness and sweetness, and the Iron Duke for nervehouse had been searched. On the same night an unsuccessful attempt was made ower and obstinate determination. to break into the house of Mr. Kelsey's

On Sunday morning the attendants at the Episcopal church in this village found flowers, which almost always have a place somewhere in the chancel arranged even more beautifully than usual. On either side was a green bowl filled with ferns and flowers, jout of which rose a slender shaft of the same color, supporting another bowl likewise filled, the shaft being wreathed with a delicate vine. The effect was charming.

A BEAUTIFUL CUSTOM—has been es-School in this village. Not only is the pulpit adorned with flowers, but bouquets are brought to be sent to the sick of the | Thursday. school, whether teachers or pupils. When practicable oranges are also sent to be thus remembered.

QUESTION AND LETTER BOX.—Mr. Ely has donated to the Sunday School of

WM. M. ELY,—as will be seen by an advertisement in another column, has commenced the undertaking business. He has an elegant hearse, has had large experience in the business, and all work of the kind entrusted to him will receive | lard's wonderful Dollar Jap. Tea. Go at careful and prompt attention.

Sixteen Bars of Good Soap. Five Cans Baltimore Peaches. Five Cans of Fresh Tomatoes.

Five Good Brooms. Ten pounds Good Rice.

Four gallons XXX Kerosene Oil.

Also, just received a small invoice of about TEN TONS of those CHEAP SUGARS, which I am bound to sell a little cheaper than any other man in AMERICA.

E. H. WADSWORTH. Empire Block.

WEED SEWING MACHINE.-No one that studies his own interest should buy a sewing machine until he has tried the new Weed Machine, which may be seen presses and printing materials of the es- interest and instruction, and we could at L. L. Virgil's Book Store. Don't fail tablishment have been seized to satisfy wish it placed in the hands of every alway exhibits the name of the next stato see it before buying elsewhere. 37.3 the claims of creditors.

### Bishop Peck's Departure -- A Movement to Recall Him.

The Syracuse Standard of Monday ecords the farewell services held in Syracuse upon the departure of Rev. Jesse Peck to his appointed bishopric in California. Of Bishop Peck's eminent services and the movement to restore him to this portion of the country, the Stand-

around it are centered his property and

efforts; he has given to it the crystal-

lized work of years and \$50,000. None

can understand its necessities better than

he, but he leaves duties which it must

have been a pleasure to perform in obedience to a call of the church which

\$140,000; as handsome grounds as any

endowment fund; in a word, a univer-

sity attests the faithfulness of his stew-

ardship. Since taking up the active du-

Remington, of Ilion.

and by accumulation, over \$12,000.

Under the pastorate of Rev. Mr. Hard,

Citizens of all class regret the necessi-

ty which has compelled the bishop to

sever his relations here; they realize

that his best field of labor, one for which

good work which

to pass as much of his time as possible

Mr. Louis Menlius, who has late-

retired from the position of assistant

COAL

GRATE, ..... 7.55

EGG, ..... 7.80

STOVE. ..... 8.05

All coal must be paid for when delivered.

ICE CREAM ON THURSDAYS .- In ac-

cordance with their custom during last

summer, the ladies of the Universalist

society will serve ice-cream, either by

of the Universalist church, between the

hours of 4 and 9 o'clock p. m., every

CIVIL DAMAGE,—We hear it rumored

ime the parties liable will settle the

Spring has come again, and with

Virgil has the agency for the

town of Mexico for Wm. H. Seward's

great work, entitled "Seward's Travels

List of Letters

Remaining in Mexico P. O., uncalled for

G. M. Avery; Mrs. Fred. Aldrige;

Fred. Auldrige; Henry Bailey, jr.

Willie Merritt, 2; Aaron Root; Alfred

People calling for the above letters

will say they are advertised, and give the

-A. F. Goodenough, of the Cleveland

(Osw. county) Era, has been arrested and

held to bail for attempt at arson. The

L. F. ALFRED, P. M.

Around the World," Call and see the

34-4w.

it came a new and large invoice of Bal-

matter before it is brought into court .-

Phoenix Register.

once and get a pound.

July 16, 1873:

W. PENFIELD.

The following are the prices for coal:

Blacksmith Coal always on hand.

fully presented.

the Church continues very prosperous.

On the 22d of May, 1872, the church called Dr. Peck to a new and important David P. Jennings to Eliphalet Jenposition; he was elected bishop and his nings, 22 66-100 acres in Palermo, \$100 particular field of labor was for a time June, 1873. ndicated as the Pacific coast. It was

Orrin Cole to George Marsden, one acre in Mexico, \$40: May, 1872.

Hiram Snow to George Marsden, 151 acres in Mexico, \$900: November, 1868.

lot in Mexico, \$600: October, 1872. Nathan Woodmansee to George Marsden, 11 acre in Mexico, \$50: October,

John Beeby and others to John Beeby William Briggs, Benjamin Mallory, Charles E. Coville and Robert Beeby, Trustees of the M. E. Church of Central Square, lot in Central Square, \$1,000:

tee, &c., lot in Mexico, \$1: November,

Harvey L. Hynck to Mary Field, & acres in New Haven, \$500: January,

### Reminiscences of the Early Settlers of Jefferson County.

MESSRS. EDITORS OF JEFFERSON COUN-TY JOURNAL :-- While you are giving more to near the Canada line, and from eminiscences of past events in Jefferson county, and occasional biographical central Ohio and into northern Pennsylsketches of old inhabitants which carry vania. Since the 1st of January he has us back to the early history of the settledelivered more than 80 discourses, relatment of this county, which interest so many of the old people still living, and ing to all the interests of the Church, and giving special attention to the subthe posterity of others who have passed ects of missions, and held three conaway, I think it would not be uninteresting to the readers of the Journal to have their attention called to one family He was also manager of the enterprise who, for longevity at least can scarcely be which secured to the University and College of Missionaries, the latter of

Before the year 1812 Joseph U. Parwhich he was the founder, the handsome ker, an old Revolutionary soldier brought into Henderson eight children. They St. Charles hotel; his personal efforts were in humble worldly circumstances brought a branch of the Book Concern when they came and the different members and branches of the family have so remained. Two of the sons bore a part in the war of 1812, which kept that The work of Bishop Peck at the Cenpart of the county, so near the frontier tenary Church is also deserving notice. n constant, agitation and alarm. During his pastorate he received addi-

The children consisted of two daughters tional members, raising the number to and six sons. As the farms in that early 600, while the property of the Church appreciated, in the liquidation of debts day were new and uncleared, five of the sons, then rugged and healthy, spent several years in clearing land for others and many of those fine dairy farms and fruitful fields, once covered with a heavy forest were cleared, and freed and turninto wheatfields, and subsequently into orchards and gardens by the patient, persevering labors of these faithful he is most eminently fitted, and one brothers.

which he most thoroughly understands, One of the sons became a law student is in this part of the country; that Syracuse is its center; the university one in your village and eventually the law partner of T. C. Chittenden, Esq., but after ten years of study and practice in the have done and are now doing in this di- ministry and has held a high position in rection. It is to be hoped arrangements the front rank of revival preachers for

The other children have all held on the even tenor of their ways. But what to educate our people, we can see no We have been favored with these this here; California is not so far distant but seems remarkable in that family, as I that it can be reached in a short time. have been informed by one of its mem-When the next general conference is held bers, not a death has as yet occurred in the subject of assigning the bishop work that family of children, not even in infanin the East can be, let us hope, successcy. All have enjoyed vigorous health. No one has ever had a broken limb, or a

> serious accident. Their average age is now seventy-four years. No one of the family ever engaged in a serious quarrel, ever gave or

and now with undiminished numbers with an aggregate life of nearly six hundred years, they stand abreast on the bank of the river, expecting every day that some link in that chain which has so long and so firmly bound them together will give way, and mar that part of their history which distinguishes them from so many other families. Few households can be found numbering so many children so far advanced in life unvisited by the destroyer, death.

[The Mr. Parker above alluded to was father of Messrs. Jeremiah and Hiram offer the following seasonable and desir-Parker, of Texas.—ED. IND.]

# August Flower.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and

Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effect, ich as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual costiveness, impure blood, heartburn, waterbrash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, vellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of the food after eating, low spirits, &c. Go to the Drug Store of John C. Taylor and get a 75 cent bottle, or a sample bottle free of yard.

charge. Try it. C. W. SNOW & Co., Wholesale Agents, Syracuse, N. Y.

BRAINARD'S INTEREST AND PASS BOOK. -Ad M. Heflebower & Co., 141 Fulton St., New York, send us one of the above books, published by them. It contains interest for any length of time on all sums, at any rate, from five to twenty five per cent. inclusive. Tables are also given, showing the rate per hour, day, week, month, of wages at any given rate The book is exceedingly handy for all business men, and is furnished, nicely bound, for 60 cents. The time saved in computing in interest or wages would soon pay for a dozen of such books. Those wishing the work can address the publishers as above.

We are indebted to our friend Charles Gillman, Esq., of Devizes (Eng.) for a Paper (in pamphlet form), entitled "The Teacher's Difficulties and how to Meet them," read by R. W. Biggs, Esq., LL.D., at the Quarterly Meeting of the Devizes Sunday School Union, held on the 27th of May last. It is replete with bell strikes twice, which attracts the at-Sunday-school teacher.

### The Post Office.

The following decisions from the partment will be read with interest

A package containing a number postal cards, each with an address. be subject to letter postage. When any matter is attached to a tal card, aside from what is printed

written directly on it, the card s shall be treated as a letter. Where two postal cards are attack addressed to be returned with reply, t

are subject to letter postage. The insertion of a name or date any printed matter sent by mail (as from postal cards,) in stencil or writi subjects the package to letter post when deposited for mailing.

The inclosure of a postal card on, in an envelope, sealed or unsealed its inclosure, will subject the package letter postage.

The following provision of the law course of study. The school has had the always in force, and very frequently v pleasure of listening to an account of ed-Any person who shall enclose or co

ceal any letter, or memorandum, or oth the colored people South. forfeit and pay five dollars.

### PARISH.

A few days since, as the workme were digging a well for Dr. Taylor, near the depot, and about 13 feet below th surface, imbedded in solid earth, almo cement, there was a substance resemblir green oat straw, and about the san length. The heads were compressed that the kernel was crushed. The hea were plainly to be seen. There was small bundle of them. How it car there we leave the curious to judge.

We are to have another store. M. Jesse Slawson has purchased a lot of I. Taylor, and will soon begin its erectic. Rumor says it will be a farmers' produe store. This is a kind of store which e need. Mr. Slawson has sold his portn of the grist mill to the Messrs. Robet-

Ceresco Mills have got well under wy now as respects grinding. They re making all kinds of flour. "Honest J," is always at his post.

The recent postal law is correcty named, "The salary grabbers' enactment pay postage on exchanges, nor that the while to write. rural press should be killed by imposing My second year has opened very fair-postage upon their papers which have ly here, with some signs of progress.

press by limiting its circulation or stop feet in the clear,) presents a massive and ping its publication we shall embarrass tasteful appearance. We think we shall and burden almost every other kind of have no trouble in being pleased with business in the land. The newspaper is, our edifice when done. We hope to get

people, and we should strive to make it cheap. If we are to have free schools free a press likewise to educate. The and opinion are sound. people demanded the abolition of the franking privilege because it was of no great use, and a source of expense. Our Congress reluctantly and grudgingthey imposed upon the people something worse, in the shape of raising their own salaries, and making the people pay postage upon matters they have never asked or desired. The people were well pleased with the postal laws as regards exchanges and the local press, and the salary grab, Congress and Executive should have had wisdom enough to let them alone. As it is we think it not wise now to et them to the shades of obscurity. people should inform these officers that they are not to be imposed upon for ce-

these officers alone until we have retird A. E. Corse, who lives at Ilion, 3 miles manding salutary laws. The salay grab and postal law must not be fer-

car brings me to Ilion. at some points there are views that enchant the mind, and furnish scenes for the painter which are not often found. We were privileged with visiting Fair-Which the People will Appreciate. To close out our Summer Stock, ve

field Seminary at its late anniversary exercises where we found Prof. Reese and lady engaged in doing a good work. There was, near the close of the term, an addition to the faculty. However I believe the trustees had nothing to do with it. The whole thing is explained by reference to Is. 9:6, first clause.

Supt. at Fairfield, where his daughter has been at school and is doing finely, and then "Warner" came home with us, and tarried over night, which we enjoyed much. Sorry to hear that he has been sick since!

Now, dear Independent if you will publish this scribble, I will just say to you and all my friends in Mexico, that I am well and also my family, and we are well able and very willing to entertain any of you who will "drop off" and see us. We are always glad to see our Mexico friends and give them a hearty shake of the hand and some roast beef. W. R. COBB.

Herkimer, July 14, 1873.

THE TRIP TO EUROPE-for July has come to us. Those intending to cross the ocean should consult it, and it contains articles of much interest to those who stay at home.

James Vincent, Pastor. New arrival of Teas, splendid

uality. Go and see at HOOSE & COBB'S.

Ballard's is the best place to buy your butter and cheese, for you save returning on account of poor quality.

has appointed a committee of three to the stations. As the change is made a raise means to aid poor and helpless pertention of the passengers, so that the box Civil Damage Law. The committee is

### BRIEFS.

-Fine showers on Monday. - Edwin Baker has opened a law office in Parish.

Dr. Manwarren has returned and in tends to resume practice in Mexico. - B. Deline is about tobuild a house on Spring street,

- John Berry is building an upright

to his house on Spring street. -The first through freight train over the Midland reached Jersey City, on

Friday evening. -Rev. L. Muzzy exchanged pulpits with Rev. G. A. Ames, of Pulaski. last

Sunday. - C. W. Brockett now takes his

pumps and well curbs out in a fine new delivery wagon. Mr. Zenas Butterfield, who has been

suffering severely from inflammatory rheumatism, is somewhat better. - A good time in store for those who attend the Episcopal entertainment next Tuesday evening.

- During the year ending March 1st, 1873, Hoose & Cobb of this village did usiness amounting to \$140,000. Prof. J. H. Hoose, Principal of the

Normal School at Cortland, has been visiting his brother in this place. -Dr. Mary E. Walker has been appointed to a \$900 clerkship in the office

of the Treasurer of the United States. -Thomson Kingsford of Oswego, has received a patent for an apparatus for the manufacture of starch. -Thus far this season, the summer

travel to the Thousand Islands over the R. W. & O. RR. shows a large increase over last year. -La Mountain, the unfortunate balloonist who was killed in Michigan recently, was an uncle of Nellie Thurston.

the lady aronaut. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Peck have eturned in usual health from their trip to Pennsylvania, Jersey City and New

- Mr. John Parsons has brought to our office a hen's egg measuring 6x7 nches, and weighing 31 ounces. If any one finds a larger one let him bring it -Brig. Gen. Sullivan has issued an

order commanding the 48th Regiment and separate troop of cavalry to assemble at the Armory, July 30th, at 9 A.M., uniformed, armed and equipped, for drill

- During the thunder storm on Monday, Mr. E. H. Walworth had a cow killed by lightning. On the same day, while Mr. Daniel Kelsey's family were at dinner the lightning strucka cauldron kettle near by and stunned some of the

-We find in the Madison Co. (Ohio) Democrat a series of resolution commem orative of Otis C. Smith, a lawyer of fine attainments, and nephew of L. D. Smith Esq. of this village. The resolutions are from the Madison County Bar and the Junietta Tribe of Imp. O. R. M. and are highly complimentary. He was the son Henry M. Smith, a native of this of —Jacob Leyport was was arrested at

Oswego, Friday, for pointing a revolver at his wife, and locked up. An officer fusely and unconscious. He had cut While I write a beautiful shower is a hole in each arm near the elbow. Levport is addicted to drink. The instrument with which he nearly ended his life has not been found.

-Prof. George H. Barton, formerly principal of the Rome Academy, but last year principal of the High School in Jersey City, at a salary of \$2,800, has had his salary increased to \$3,500 for the coming year. It is stated that he has since had an offer of \$4,000 as teacher in one of the Normal schools in New York city.-Utica Herald. [Prof. Barton is brother of Mrs. D. W.

C. Peck, of this village.

# Would respectfully call attention to his new stock of

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Coffins, Caskets, Metalic Burial Cases, &c., &c.

Also, constantly on hand a large and fine assortment of

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Elegant New

# earse

I hope, by strict attention to be iness, to merit a liberal share of the public patronage. I am located at ny old stand, South Jefferson St. hree doors south of the post office. where I may be found at any hour of the day or night, when not absent on professional business. Mexico, July 16, 1873. 37

### Mexico Academy MEXICO, N. Y.,

Offers fine advantages in all the branches usual-An earnest effort will be put forth to make this school WORTHY of patronage. The Expenses are Less

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Fall Term of 13 weeks opens August 26, 1873. Winter Term " " closes Nov. 21, " opens Dec. 9, " closes March 6, 1874. Spring Term " opens March 24, closes June 19, For rooms or further information ad-

S. MORTIMER COON, A. M. Mexico, N. Y., July 16, 1873,

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in curing this terrible disease than any other known remedy, or even the most eminent and skillful Physicians. In India, Africa and China, where this dreadful disease is ever more or less prevalent, the PAIN-KILLER is considered by the natives, as well as European residents in those climates, a Sure Remedy.

THE PAIN-KILLER. Each bottle is wrapped with full directions

MHE PAIN-KILLER Is sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Family Medicines. 34-4

The Residence of the Late Starr Clark for Sale.

This house and lot is situated on Main St., nearly opposite the Mexico Hotel, in the village of Mexico, is in one of the pest localities for business purposes, or for a residence in the yillage. This place can now be purchased on favorable terms, which may be ascertained by calling upon the undersigned, at his office over S. H. Stone & Co's in the said

Mexico, July 2, 1873. The Remington Family Sew-

ing Machine. Reasons Why

Sewing Machines

1st.—Their SIMPLICITY—The use of then is very easily acquired, and any girl of or dinary intelligence is capable of keeping them in order.
2nd.—The CONSTRUCTION of the machine

harsh jarring movements, and friction, common in inferior machines, they will w th. -Their ADAPTABILITY-By a simpl change of the needle and thread, they will sew the finest cambric or the heaviest leath-

buckskin sewing, clothing, caps, stays shirts, mantles and dressmaking can be done with equal facility. h—The SHUTTLE—Being large, it will carry a great quantity of thread—thus saving, in a great measure, the trouble of filling the

.—The means of getting at the required TEN-SION on the Threads is so simple and com-plete, that even backstitch on BOTH SIDES of the material [which will not rip or ravel] can be readily obtained.

mon Spool Cotton. h-The have no rotary cams, cog-wheels or lever arms to make a noise, run hard or to get out of order.

By the new and pesuliar movement of needland shuttle and thread controlling parts, there is less wear or strain of the thread peed; the thread being set in the material uninjured, the work is therefore better and stronger than that done on C. C. LESTER, Agent.

Mexico, July 9, 1871. A LARGE QUANTITY OF OATS WANTED AT THE

TORONTO MILLS. 29 A. C. THOMAS. ROOMS TO LET. -C. C. Lester has pleasant rooms to let at his new residence

opportunity for students and others. 27 Oswego County

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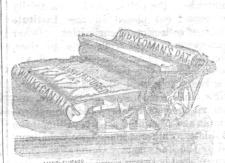
The undersigned having filled his store with a choice selection of paper consisting of

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A large assortment.

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The largest and best assorted ever offered to the people of Mexico and vicinity.



# HR.H.

You need not go to Oswego to get suited,

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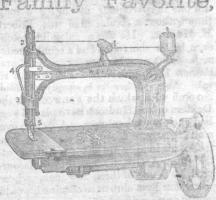
No. 4, Phonix Block. Mexico, April 9, 1873.

harces if not taken. Send stamp for Price H.H.Dobson, Mexico, N.Y. Oswego County Savings Bank,

(Opposite the Fitzhugh House,) Corner East Bridge and First Sts., Oswego SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS. FREE OF GOVERN-MENT TAX. PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY, JAN. & JULY.

House and Lot for Sale .- The undersigned offers for sale her house and lot on South Jefferson St. Adjoining the house is a most excellent well o water, and the lot contains a number of apple, pear and plum trees—all young and thrifty-also some choice grape vines. For price, &c., inquire on the premises

Mexico, April 24, 1873.



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mall and simple shuttle, which need not

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will please notify us. As we desire to impossible for him to go to California at that time without too great a sacrifice of more valuable interests here as well as on account of ill health of himself and

please come during office hours, from

Grace Church Entertainment.

Mexico Academy. It will be seen by an advertisement People who have known it for the past year know well how worthy of patronage

[We are glad to give place in our colcharity have a stronger claim apon our own county. The self-denial called for is very little, and almost every family might thus do something for the comfort

and many have already found it pleasant that a case of civil damage is in circulation in this place. On the Fourth a resident of the village went home intoxicated and wound up his day's celebration

For One Dollar Cash

Thirteen pounds George's Bank Cod. Four pounds Good Roasted Rio Coffee.

in another column that the fall term of | ferences and dedicated a large number this institution opens August 26th. Prof. Coon and his assistants have made it, and the fact that that principal and preeceptress are to return is a guarantee of property \$120,000, and known as the the high character of the school for the coming year. It is for the interest of the

Will other county papers please copy? Mexico, July 14, 1873. mns to this appeal. No objects of sympathy and care than the poor of our

editor of the Christian World, in his val-

tablished in the Presbyterian Sunday the plate or quantity, at the basement

by smashing a greater portion of the the Presbyterian church a handsome box furniture in the house. His wife now of his own manufacture to be used as asks from certain of the liquor dealers, reparation of the damage done. We prethe receptacle of questions, letters, &c.

Any of the following articles: Eight pounds of Best Layer Raisins.

Real Estate Sales. Charles Stebbins to Joseph W. Hew-

ett, 75 acres in Hastings, \$2,400 : April, Charles H. Cross to Washington T. Henderson and Robert G. Post, saw

mill, shingle mill, and 20 acres in Orwell, \$3,000 : June, 1873. William C. Pierrepont to Andrew F. Sheridan, 3 acres in Albion, \$72: July,

James Roberts to George Marsden.

1872

John Dunn to Mary A. Alfred, Trus-

leaves him no discretion in the matter.

(Published by Request.)

equaled in any county.

can be made which will allow the bishop | more than forty years,

received a blow in anger. No one for the last forty years has used snuff, cigars or tobacco in any form. No one for the last forty years has used intoxicating drinks, or used a word of profane lan-All have made profession of religion

ble goods, at REDUCED RRICES-Prices at Which No Competitor Can Meet us! Hernanis, Lawns, Dress Line rass Cloths

Parish, July 14, 1873.

REDUCTIONS

SEE THE LIST.

Ladies' Hats, Trimmed, Ladies' Hats, Untrimm Ribbons and Flowers, Collars and Hand'ch'fs, laces and Fringes, Gloves, Lace Points and Jackets, Summer Shawls, Hamburgh Embroideries, Real and Imitation Lace, Victoria Lawns, Organdies, French Cambrics, Guipure Laces, Fans and Perfumery, MARSAILLES QUILTS,

&c., &c., &c.

Calico Remnants,

damaged, in short length, at 61 cents per Mourning Percales-Nearly yard wide, cut from piece, at ten cents per yard. Small figure, light do., for children's vear, cut from piece,—ten cents per yard Unmistakable Bargains.

COME, AND SEE THEM,

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SYRACUSE, N. Y. Genuine old government Java offee at Ballard's.

Canned fruits of all kinds at

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-In every car on the Connecticu River RR. there is a box overhead at one end, in which is contained the name of the next station, which it is the duty of the brakeman to change as they leave

BALLARD'S

WADSWORTH'S.

Central Square.

CENTRAL SQUARE, July 14, 1873. DEAR INDEPENDENT :- With the mercury away up in the "nineties" my thoughts turn to you, questioning whether even you can be very independent in such perspiring weather as this.

My audacity in sending so few and so small items as the following may serve to cool your fevered pulse. Life in Central Square is not very ex citing, yet we are making progress one containing an inquiry and the ot Haying is begun, wheat is ripening for the harvest, and berries are being picked

and eaten.

are cool—so that congregations and Sunday-schools are full. The Sunday-school at the Baptist church gave their quarterly concert on the evening of June 29. The house is an address or other matter written the always crowded at these concerts, and as they are made in some sort exponents of the regular work of the school, they help to

maintain an interest in the general

One item is comforting-the Sabbaths

ucational work among the freedmen, given by Miss Blood, a teacher among thing, in any mail matter not charge. The new residence of A. T. Low is with letter postage, or make any writin beginning to hint at what it will be memorandum thereon, and deposit, when complete-an ornament to the cause the same to be deposited for co village, and an exceedingly comfortable veyance by mail, at a less rate than le and roomy house. We may well rejoice er postage, shall for every such offens when our valued citizens build such houses, for there is no more satisfactory

assurance of their purpose to remain We are to have a new school-house, of orick, adapted to the wants of our peoole, and a "thing of beauty" to look upon. It is to stand on the site occupied by the old house, will be two stories high, and contain three large study and recitation rooms-one on the second floor, with seating capacity for 120 pupils; one class room for recitations only. entrance hall, cloak rooms and cellar; the whole to be crowned with a belfry When our house is finished, let your

Academy look well to her laurels. Prof. and Mrs. Coon are passing some part of their vacation with us. There is room here for a disciple of Blackstone, and you need not be surprised if we by and by transplant your Academy's efficient principal to our growing village. Bid high if you would ARDE. keep him.

Letter from Rev. W. R. Cobb. FRIEND INDEPENDENT :- It is some time since I wrote you, and as events are for the promotion of ignorance among constantly transpiring, I ought to have the people." The people never called br something to write. The trouble is, an enactment that newspapers should however, to know really what is worth

their circulation within a few miles where This year I have on hand a little more published. These local papers have been than common anxiety and responsibility. performing a great work for a few years The building of a church edifice, though past. They have been stirring up the it does not devolve on the pastor, there literary talent all over this country, and are many little things which necessarily besides this they proved to bean excellent engage his attention, and take his time, adjunct to the metropolitan press. Most and they require him to be about. Our f the important news of the metropo- enterprise is progressing finely. The litan papers are taken from the country walls of our new church have risen some press. If we embarrass the country 20 feet. The first story, (basement, 11

descending and blessing the earth. good reason why we should not have as season, but too seldom, if human desire Just now I am living alone with my children. My wife "has left my bed and board," not without cause or provocation, and has gone east to the Hudson, and y granted it, but in a revengeful spirit thence to New Jersey, in search of friends, rest, health and pleasure. I hope she will find all these to her complete satisfaction, in the few weeks she intends being gone; and then I will join the children in singing a quartette entitled

"Mother, Come Home," which I think

we will be able to sing with spirit, and

'with the understanding also.'

I find myself quite at home this year with my Mexico Presiding Elder, Rev. distant. Also, Rev. A. J. Cowles, who is one mile from me at Mohawk: 10 minutes ride on the street car brings me to his door, and 5 minutes on the steam We have a beautiful valley here, and

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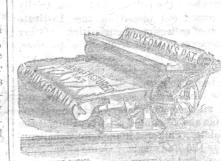
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Base Ball.

A BRIEF NARRATIVE OF LOCAL CLUBS.

Probably there is no form of out-door exercise a mute likes so well as a game of the disposed of it. He has been in the likes so well as a game of the disposed of it. He has been in the likes so well as a game of the disposed of it. He has been in the likes so well as a game of the disposed of it. He has been in the likes so well as a game of the disposed of it. He has been in the likes so well as a game of the disposed of it. of Base Ball. He likes it on account of its excitement, and, by the way, it has been our observation that unless a game possesses some degree of excitement, the have lost their charms for him, he does have lost their charms for him have lost their charms for him, he does have lost their charms for him, he does have lost their charms for him, he does have lost their charms for him have lost their charms for him have lost their charms for him have lost the him have lost their charms for him have lost their charms for him have lost the him have lost t average mute cares little or nothing for not care much for travel now, but likes Peet, LL. D., for many years the able

know. We are aware that there are and have been in existence clubs at different Institutions, but in the absence of dates &c. we cannot precisely say which club most part, large, strong, powerful fellows and could do some terrific batting when occasion required. The first match they played was with a club of College boys from a neighboring Institute. It was played on a raw, cold morning in November, and was not specially remarka-ble for the brilliancy of the fielding. The mutes won the ball and had it beautifully engrossed and placed in the Institute Cabinet collection of curiosities. Other games were played from time to time, the mutes in most cases coming off victors. About this time, the base ball fe-

ver began to spread all over the country. New clubs were formed everywhere, and our village soon followed the general example and organized a club, calling it the Athlete. This was immediately challeng ed by the Fanwoods. Game after game was played between them, but the mutes never won one; they lost all and though victory time and again seemed theirs, it never was won. At the time of the Empire State Convention held in New York in 1867, a game was gotten up between them and the Columbia Base Ball Club of the National Deaf-Mute College. Both nines were short of their regular players and had to put up such substitutes as they could get. The Columbians won, but it was no real trial between the two nines. Efforts were made afterwards to get up another game, but the distance between the two schools was so great that nobody could hit upon a plan of bringing them together.

As years rolled on the Fanwoods became old. Old players left and new ones filled the ranks. A new and rival club sprang up. It was called the Dexter, istence, the Hudson. The instructors last spring got up a club and called it the Heathen Chinee. Not much can be said of the general play; it was not a strong team, but it accomplished its purpose, that of presenting some attractive and lively means of exercise, and with has come to New York in behalf of the such the members were more than con-

The Hudsons have been doing some tough work. So far they have played third disagreeing with the umpire in the old, with six dependent children, is worklast inning, at which time the score stood | ing as a field hand in the parish of Oua-14 to 9 in favor of the opposing club. Since 1865, there have been several until recently by Mr. Lacy. Isaac is 65

time without a rival. He was Robert H. Hughes. He was a splendid catcher, a better short stop and a reliable batsman. But now his honors are nowhere. Francis E. Robinson is his successful rival. As a catcher he is simply splendid. No club with which the Fanwoods or the Dexters or the Hudsons have played ever had such a good catcher. A quick eye, a strong arm, a cool head, a perfect control of his temper are his prominent attributes. Active, fearless, never discouraged, he is one of those few men, whose possession by a club once obtained, would and are anxious to buy and cultivate a fortable and happy. Let us rally for a render any sacrifice trifling in comparison

mute who can will be present on the crop, this fall on his own land that is to the railway companies in respect to half above named occasion. Friends of the be, and raising potatoes this year, and in fare the same as residents of New York, deaf-mutes are generally and cordially the fall root crops, and "putting down" as soon as they come within our state invited to attend. All will be heartily some of the land to grass before winter. lines.

### Passages in the Life of a Deaf Mute.

CHAPTER VI. George's nature was not one to be content to take things as they came; it was not in him to stay in one place for any great length of time, without having a journey about the country, and a change from one occupation to another. So, af- mencing Aug. 27th and closing Aug. ter working faithfully under his brother 29th next, including the three entire several years, George told him that 'he must stop. He said he wanted to be more independent, that he wanted to travel and that he was tired of New

York, Leaving the city, George traveled through several states and went all over at  $9\frac{1}{2}$  a. m. on Wednesday morning, Aug. drawing. It is a very fine painting. the West. When he got out of money his 27th. The exercises will be opened by trade of bookbinding was always a means | prayer in the sign-language by the Rev. spent some time journeying about.

I have forgotten to mention that years by the Rev. Thomas B. Berry, Rector of May be sent by mail. The numbers ago, when he just landed in America, he St. Paul's Chapel, Albany, N. Y. knew nothing of the English language. 2. His Honor, A. Carter Wilder, on the 30th of July.

was against the laws of the state for a foreign mute to receive an education at the expense of the state, and George, not was obliged to give up the idea of learning English at the N. Y. Institution.
Dr. H. P. Peet, who was then Princi
do it the Association, followed by the Society and Treasurer of the Society. Adjournment till 2 p. m.

4. At 2 p.m., the "Oration of theday," lish any educated mute.

with her, and shortly after married her.

5. Wednesday evening, at 7½ o'clock, Then, having a wife to take care of, he there will be a service held at St. Luke's &c. we cannot precisely say which club scores of workmen, and is worth over was the first started. However the Fan-half a million. George's father still lives, was the first started. However the Fanwood Base Ball Club, of the New York
Institute, was among the first, if not the
very first organized. It was organized

In the advanced age of eighty, at the old
place in Germany, and George talks of
going over the ocean to see him one of

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Lines Relating to Science.

BY ABRAHAM COLES, M. D.

"Not less their praise, nor less their high ward, Th' unequalled heroes of a task more hard, Enthusiasts, who labored to bridge o'er The gulf of silence, never passed before, To reach the solitaire, who lived apart, Cut off from commerce with the human heart To whom had been, all goings on below, A ceremonious and unmeaning show; Men met in council, on occasions proud, Nought but a mouthing and grimacing crowd; And all the great transactions of the time. An idle scene or puzzling pantomime, Children of silence ! deaf to every sound That trembles in the atmosphere around, Now far more happy, dancing ripples break Upon the marge of that once stagnant lake, Aye by fresh breezes overswept, and stirred

Are quite articulate to your Savior's ear." The Estate of a Slave.

Your silent praise, that penitential tear,

With the vibrations of new thoughts conferred.

No more your minds are heathenish and dumb.

Now that the word of truth and grace has com

A Virginia Master as Attorney for the Man who was his Servant.

Anthony Jones, a colored man, fireman for the last twenty years of the Deaf and Dumb Institution, Fanwood, near Fort Washington, Bloomingdale, died about the middle of last April, leaving an estate and after a time it monopolized all the of \$12,000. He was born a slave, but good players and left the Fanwoods thirty-five years ago he ran away from 10. At nally it was dissolved and has never Spotsylvania county, Va., and there was since been re-organized. The Dexters lost sight of entirely. His name had had a splendid career, but they, too, had a splendid career, but they, too, had at last to disband and yield their laurels he kept a reminiscence of "Ole Virginny," to a rival club, the one at present in ex- and aided his personal disguise by adopting the name of his old master, and was

known as Anthony Jones. Mr. J. Horace Lacy, a Virginia planter, who is proprietor of the plantation on which Anthony, the slave, was born, and who married his master's daughter, two sole surviving heirs of the deceased fireman. The numerous brothers and sisters and the father and mother of Anthree games, winning one by a score of the losing one 26 to 17, and in the brother Isaac. Elizabeth, fifty years the convention at half-fare.

chita, Louisiana, on a plantation owned Players whose record is remarkable years old, with a large dependent family property of Mr. Horace Lacy previous to the war of emancipation. Isaac has

of life, nor ever will, yet he is an unprofitable hired hand, being old and slow, and the whole family have been since their emancipation dependent on their former master and live on his land. Isaac has employed his old master as extended to all other persons. Good orattorney, who testifies that Isaac and Elizabeth "are worthy and respectable, honest people, old and poor, and unfit pains will be spared by the Committee for any other than outdoor field work; of arrangements to make each and all compiece of land adjoining his own farm, on tull attendance. which they were born, said tract being now offered for sale far below its real val-

CHURCH SERVICE FOR DEAF MUTES.— can be at once comfortable and indepen- be pleased to do so if we could, The Rev. Thomas Gallaudet, D. D., Rector dent, and relieved from their abject povof St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, N. erty. Isaac and Elizabeth can command other states is not enough to induce Y., will hold a service for the deaf and at their age only five dollars a month for them to comply with our request. If dumb in Grace Church, Mexico, N. Y., their labor. Elizabeth was formerly a any should attend the convention from on Sunday evening, July 27th, at  $6\frac{1}{2}$  cook. Isaac has already laid his plans for putting in wheat, which is their staple they will be treated by all

Note.—The hour fixed for the service Surrogate's Court, before S. D. Van think best, the social reunion and banhas, as will be seen above, been changed Schaick, referee, that the old negro man quet may be postponed from Thursday from 7½ to 6½ o'clock, in accordance with and woman in Virginia and Louisiana evening, the 28th, till Friday evening, are the only heirs, Anthony Jones hav- the 29th, due notice of which will be ing died without leaving wife, children, given at the Convention. or debts.—N. Y. Sun, July 1.

Convention of the Empire State Deaf-

Mute Association.

The Fifth Biennial Convention of the E. S. D. M. Association will hold its session in the City Hall, Rochester, com-

The following programme will be adopted:

1. Members (and all others are re spectfully invited to attend during the session) will repair to City Hall promptly The artist proposes to dispose of it by of refilling his purse. In this manner he Thomas Gallaudet, D. D., Rector of St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, N. Y., or

The New York Institution was then sit- mayor of the city of Rochester, is ex- Send 50 cents. Address uated on Fiftieth street, and George applied for admission as a pupil, But it which will be rendered in the sign-lan-

3. Biennial address by the President being able to pay for his own education, of the Association, followed by the re-

pal of the Institution, kindly gave him by Prof. Henry W. Syle, M. A., or his a set of the books used there, and he substitute, Prof. Henry D. Reaves, both a set of the books used there, and he studied there by himself, so diligently that in a year he knew as much of Engand interesting "speeches," impromptu remarks and miscellaneous matters until While in a city in Missouri, George remarks and miscellaneous met a deaf-mute lady and he fell in love adjourning for the evening.

returned to New York and began to work, not this time as a gilder but as a bookbinder. Since then he has staid in York, will deliver an address to the New York, most always working and seldom idle. By the aid of his brother he purchased and furnished a house and lived in it till some time during the late civil war, when, having a chance to sell in the sign-language either by Rev. Dr. Gallaudet or Rev. Thos. B. Berry. Any person or persons wishing to be baptized or confirmed will find this a very favorable op-

printing trade but did not seem to like vention will meet at 9½ o'clock, and after it.

Exactly which was the first regularly organized mute base ball club, we don't lost an excellent position under the lost travel now, but likes to stay at home in the society of his wife and distinguished Principal of the N. Y. Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. Prof. Johnson will be followed by others government and seems to like it very who may wish to make brief and pertimuch. His brother, Herman, now has nent remarks. The remainder of the a large gilding establishment, he employs morning session will be filled up by such

> pal of the N. Y. Institution, will by special invitation deliver a lecture on the subject of Temperance.

8. Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock, a grand dinner will be served in Cobbley's Hall, Powers' Block. Toasts will be proposed and responded to, after which a social Reunion will be held throughout the night, during which a great variety of innocent games, amusements, jokes, &c., will be provided to pass the time happily and pleasantly, under the superintendence of the Committee of Arrange ments, Messis. Hicks, Acker and Bene dict, who will be detailed expressly for that purpose. Tickets of admission to the Banquet and Reunion \$2.00; for sale by James Matthews, lessee of Powers' Block, at the Convention; 50 cents from the sale of each ticket will be paid into the Treasury of the Association.
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9. Friday morning, the third and last day of the session, the Association will convene at 9½ a. m. Opening by prayer, after which a lecture will probably be delivered by Seth Green, Esq., Superintendent of the N. Y. State Fishery Commission on the nature, habits. increase and successful culture of the finny tribe —a subject which will be interesting and pleasing to every member and visitor of the convention. This lecture will be interpreted in the sign-language.—

Other persons, if there should be any who may have an address to deliver or an essay to read, will be welcomed to the 10. At 2 p. m., the President elect only on Tickets purchased at the Company's

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Leave Mexico 6.27 p. m.; Arrive at Watertown 8.20 p. m.; Rome, 9.22 p. m.; Ogdensburg, 11.25 a. m.; Potsdam Junction, 11.50 a. m.; Utica, 10.00 p. m.; Albany, 1.10 a. m.; New York, 7.00 a. m.. Sleeping car through to New York, Arrive at Oswego, Leave Mexico,

7.15 a. m.
12.24 p. m.
15.70 p. m.
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SPECIAL NEW YORK EXPRESS. special New York Express.

.00 A. M.; Fulton, 8.30; Lamson's 8.50; Baldwinsville, 9.03; arriving at Syracuse, 9.35 a. m; connecting with special New York Express, arriving at Utica, 11.10 a. m.; Albany, 2.00 p. m.; New York, 6.30 p. m.; Boston, 11.20.

SPECIAL DAY EXPRESS 19.20 P. M.; Fulton, 12:50 Lamson's 1.10; Baldwinsville, 1.23, arriving at Syracuse, 1.55 p.m.; connecting with Day Express East and West arriving at Utica 4.25 p.m.; Albany 8.45 p. m.; New York, 6.00 a. m.; Boston 5.50

SOUTH WEST ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

5.15 P. M.; Fulton 5.45; Lamson's 6.05; Baldwinsville, 6.18; arriving at Syracuse, 6.50 p. m., connecting with Southwest Atlantic Express, arriving at Utica, 9.20 p. m.; Albany, 12.40 a. m.; New York, 6.45 a. m.; Boston, 8.30 a. m.; also with Special Boston and Chicago Express for all points West, and with the Rochester Express on the Auburn Road. LEAVE SYRACUSE.

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7.10 A. M.; on arrival of Pacific Express which leaves New York at 8.30 p. m., Baldwinsville 7.43; Lamsons 7.56; Fulton 8.16; arrive at Oswego 8.50.

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NEW YORK EXPRESS.

NEW YORK EXPRESS.

8.45 A. M.—Fulton 9.15; Oneida 11.15 a m; Leave Oneida 11.35 a m, on arrival New York Express from the West; arriving Smith's Valley 12.43 p m; Norwich 1.40 p m; Leave Norwich 1.50; Sidney 3.05 p m; connects at Sidney for Walton, arrive Walton 5.20; Delhi 6.00 p m; connects at Oneida with New York Express East at 11.25 a m; arriving at Utica 12.25 p. m; Albany 4.10 p m; New York 10.30 p m; connects at Sidney with Afternoon Express on New Berlin Branch, arriving New Berlin 5.30 p. m; also with afternoon Express of A. & S. R. R. west; arriving at Binghanton 9.18 p m; afternoon Express east, arriving at Albany 8.30 p m. Connects at Norwich with evening train for DeRuyter, Cortland and Ithaca. ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

4.45 P. M.—Fulton 5.15; Oncida 7.15 Smith's Valley 3.24 P m; Norwich 9.20 p m, connects at Oncida with Atlantic Ex, East, (Sleeping Car attached) arriving at Utica 10.00 p m; Albany 1.10 a m; New York 7.00 a m. RUNNING NORTH-LEAVE ONEIDA

MAIL. 10.34 A. M.—On arrival of train from Sidney Plat Oxford, Norwich, and New Berlin, arrive Ful 12.34 p m; Oswego 1.05 p m, connects at Ome with New York Express east, arriving at Utica 1

ACCOMMODATION. 4.09 P. M.—On arrival train from Walton and Delhi and morning Express from Binghamton, Fulton 8.20 p m; Oswego 9.30 p m.

5.45 P. M.—On arrival Express train from Sidney Plains, Walton and Delhi and Chicago Express from New York, arrives at Fulton 7.45 p m; Oswego 8.15 p m Trains are run by Albany Time.

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To the above named defendants: You are hereby summoned and required, to answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff, which was filed in the office of the clerk of the County of Oswego, at Oswego city, New York, on the 16th day of June, 1873, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at his office in Mexico, Oswego Co., N. Y., within twenty days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

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Plaintiff's Attorney, seing part of lot number thirty-six, and bounded s follows: Commencing in the centre of the highway on the north line of land now owned by ackson Gifford, running thence east to the land of M. B. Moon, thence north to the land of M. Wadsworth, thence west to the centre of the ghway, thence south along the said highway to the place of beginning, containing ten acres of land.—Dated June 26, 1873. GEORGE L. GIFFORD, Skinner & Wright, Att'ys, Mexico, N. Y.

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Also, that other tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Mexico, county of Oswego, and state of New York, it being part of lot No. 145, of Scriba's Patent, described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point 25 feet from the N. E. corner of the dwelling house formerly occupied by Elijah Fairchilds, in the centre of the highway, leading from Colosse to Parish, thence running an easterly course along the centre of the said highway to the original line of said mill lot in the Salmon Creek, thence down said creek and line to lands owned and occupied by Seneca Smith, thence northerly to the S. E. corner of said Fairchilds' lot, thence continuing in a straight line to the place of beginning. Also the right to the place of beginning as and wife, two parties, said deed bearing date the 17th day of Feb., 1857. Also, all that land now occupied as the ditch which conveys the water from the said dam a

MORTGAGE SALE.—Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated June 15th, 1868, executed by Amassa Hall and Clarissa C. Hall, his wife, of the Town of Palermo, Oswego county, N. Y., to Mercey Allen, now Mercey Snow, of the same place, and which mortgage was recorded in the Oswego County Clerk's office, at Oswego, N. Y., in book No. 80 of mortgages, at page 492, on the 28th day of August, 1868, at 2 o'clock p. m. And whereas the said mortgage has been duly assigned to William T. Barnes, of Oswego, N. Y., and the same is now owned by him. And whereas the amount claimed to be due upon said mortgage at the time of the first publication of this notice is the sum of four hundred twenty-eight dollars, to wit: \$400 of principal and \$25 of nterest, and which is the whole amount claimed to be dueupon said mortgage.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and duly recorded as aforesaid, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, at the law office of B. F. Chase, in Neal Block, Oswego City, N. Y., in said County of Oswego, on the 17th day of September, 1873, at 10 in the forenoon of that day.

The said premises are described in said mortgage as follows: MORTGAGE SALE.—Whereas default MORTGAGE SALE.—Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money see cured by mortgage dated September 22d, 1870 executed by Jacob Hartman, of the town of Parish, Oswego county, N. Y., to Eunice Cone, o Volney, Oswego county, N. Y., which mortgage with the power of sale contained therein, was recorded in the Oswego County Clerk's office on the 28th day of September, 1870, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Liber 88 of Mortgages, page 389; and wherea the said Eunice Cone is now the lawful owner and holder thereof, and the amount claimed the due on said mortgage, at the time of the first and holder thereof, and the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the time of the first publication of this notice, is six hundred and thirty-three dollars and twenty-seven cent (\$633.27), and to become due the further sum of two thousand eight hundred and ninety-six dollars and seventy-five cents (\$2,896.75), making the whole sum surveid mortgage in the state of the whole sum surveid mortgage. this date, \$3,529.42. And no proceedings havin been had at law to recover the same, or any pa age as follows:

All that tract or parcel of land situate in
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distinguished as subdivision number eight (8) in great lot number eleven (11), in the north part of the 14th township of Seriba's patent, containing by estimation fifty-nine (59) acres of land, be the same more or less, excepting and reserving out of the above described land about one acre heretofore deeded by said Hall to Clarissa Auringer.—Dated the 19th day of June, 1873.

WILHAM T. BARNES,

Assignee of said Mortgage.

B. F. Chase, Att'y, Oswego City, N. Y. mortgage, and duly recorded as aforesaid, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, at the Carley House in Parish, N. Y., on the 13th day of Santonbox 1873 at 10 clocks as w. The the Carley House in Parisn, N. Y., on the 13th day of September, 1873, at 10 o'clock a. m. The premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: All that piece or pared of land situate in the town of the country of Oswego, and State of New York, and bounded as follows: Being the north half of lot No. 4 of Scriba's patent, in township twenty-three, beginning at the north-east corner of lot No. (43) forty-three, at a stake and stones; thence running south 68°, east along the south line of lot No. (32) thirty-two, 34 chs. and 80 lks. to a hemlock stake on the town line between Parish and Amboy; thence south 22°, west along said town line fifty-seven chains and eighty links to a stake, being nine links north-east of a hemlock; thence north 68°, west thirty-four chains and eighty links to a stake, being five links east, 68° west from a marked hemlock; thence north 22°, east along the east line of said lot No. 43, fifty-seven chains and eighty links to the place of bef Scriba's patent, in township twenty-three, b

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And whereas default has been made in the pay-Clerk's office, March 13, 1865, at 12 o'clock M., in Liber 66 of mortgages, page 497.

And whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by mortgage dated February 20th, 1865, executed by Jackson Gifford, of the town and county of Oswego, to William A. Miller, of the same place, which mortgage with the power of sale contained therein, was recorded in the Oswego County Clerk's office, February 5th, 1868, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Liber 78 of mortgages, at page 478, and whereas, each of said mortgages has been duly sold and assigned to George L. Gifford, who is now the legal owner and holder thereof. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due upon the first above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage and the debt intended to be secured therein contained was duly recorded in the Oswego county Clerk's office, the 30th day of December, 1864, at 11 hours a.m., in book No. 66 of mortgages, on page 266. And whereas, the said mortgage is the said mortgage and the debt intended to be secured therein and Rosina G. Downing, were duly appointed by the Surrogate of Oswego County and Rosina G. Downing, and that they are now the law the second above mentioned mortgage and the debt intended to be secured therein counties and the said mortgage assigned to George L. Gifford, who is now the legal owner and holder thereof. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due upon the first above mentioned mortgage is the sum of \$92.75, and upon the second above mentioned mortgage. The sum of \$81.75, at the date of the first publication of this notice, which sums are all that remain unpaid on said mortgages respectively, and no proceedings have been had at law to recover. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in each of said mortgages, respectively, and duly recorded as aforesaid, and in pursuance to the statute in such case made and provided, each aforesaid mortgages will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, at the law office of Skinner & Wright, in Mexico, the law office of Skinner & Wright, in Mexico, os the law office of Skinner & Wright, in Mexico, being part of lot number thirty-six, and bounded as follows: Commencing in the centre of the highway on the north line of land now owned.

that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises above described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the law office of J. D. Hartson, in the village of Mexico, in the County of Oswego, N. Y., on the 6th day of Sept., 1873, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day.—Dated June 12th, 1873. June 12th, 1873. SAMUEL H. STONE, Administrator,

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